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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

A bill to make effective the Cuban reciprocity convention was introduced yesterday in the House, and referred to committee. —— Democratic members of the House will caucus Saturday night to determine minority action on the Cuban bill. —— Democratic senators will oppose ratification of a canal treaty with the new republic of Panama. —— Pope Pius created five new cardinals yesterday. —— Orumpacker has reintroduced his bill to reduce representation in Congress from Southern States. —— The government has contracted for a new lightship for Lookout shoals, N. C. —— Strike of street car employes was inaugurated yesterday in Chicago; there were wild scenes of disorder; several cars were wrecked by strike sympathizers and persons were injured. —— Two heavy freight trains wrecked on the L. & N. railroad; six men were killed and several others injured. —— Southern Express Company elected officers at meeting in Savannah. —— Native Colombians are greatly excited over events on the isthmus. —— Everything is quiet at Panama. —— Colombian troops are at Buena Ventura; U. S. warships will not permit any movement by sea of armed forces. —— Col. W. T. Blackwell died last night at his home in Durham, N. C. —— The Sociological Society to consider the race problem closed its sessions yesterday, after appointing a mixed commission to carry plans into effect. —— Fire on the torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence at Norfolk, was only prevented from causing great destruction by the heroism of Lieut. Curtin and several seamen. —— F. B. Neal, a wealthy citizen of Jackson, Miss., committed suicide. —— Fire at Nashville causes loss of $50,000. —— Emperor William's condition is reported satisfactory. —— Randolph & Landfield, tobacco dealers, Chicago, failed with liabilities about $40,000. —— British planters on the island of Jamaica are strongly urged to cultivate cotton on a very extensive scale. —— New York markets: Money on call strong at 5½@6 per cent; cotton steady at 11.20c; flour was unsettled; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red 83½c; corn—spot easier; No. 2 49½c.; oats—spot weak, No. 2 40c; rosin nominal; spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 12.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 56 degrees; 8 P. M., 60 degrees; maximum, 67 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 60 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .71.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 2.8 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—For North Carolina: Fair, except showers on the coast Friday; Saturday fair; fresh east winds.

Port Almanac--November 13.

Sun Rises	6.34 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.54 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 20 M.
High Water at Southport	3.45 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	5.15 P. M.

Well, who will the Republican party nominate for President next year? Ask Mark Hanna. It's up to him.

Thanksgiving day will soon be here. Uncle Sam will be prepared to eat his turkey and give thanks for the acquisition of Panama.

The Augusta *Chronicle* says: "That Panama man who asked Senator Morgan to get in line on the canal question must have thought that the old Confed was still seceding."

Columbia had better make haste for annexation to Panama if she wants to get into the Republic of Washington, Jefferson, Abraham, Lincoln and "Hanna" Roosevelt.

The Colombians at Bogota are now mad with President Moroquin and blame him for allowing the canal boodle to slip through Colombia's fingers. They are kicking up Old Harry and want to overthrow him.

President Roosevelt is unusually anxious to have Senator Hanna to remain as chairman of the Republican party for the campaign next year. If Hanna declines, Teddy will infer that Mark will thus mean to assume an attitude where Presidential lightning might strike him.

The fact that the ponderous Grover Cleveland is the biggest thing seen coming down the pike these days, gives the rabies to some of the Bryanesque brothers of the press. Whatever opinions any of us may have of the availibility of the Democratic ex-president for the nomination next year, the undisturbed equanimity, disinterested tread and lofty dignity of this distinguished American can but challenge admiration.

The Charlotte *Observer* rightly says: "Something ought to be done to those fool Texans who are sending specimens of the boll weevil to their friends in North Carolina. That is one way of introducing the pest into the cotton fields of this State. It is traditionary lore that the first English sparrows were sent or brought to this country as curiosities—just to let it be seen how they look and act. As a result they have taken the country and become unspeakable nuisances."

HANDSOME GOLD MEDALS.

Three Established for High School by Public Spirited Citizens—To be Awarded Commencement.

As an incentive to more thorough work and proficiency in their studies by the students of the Wilmington High School, three leading citizens of Wilmington have established gold medals to be contested for each year by the graduating class at the popular institution named above and to be awarded at commencement.

One medal will be for the best essay, another for the highest distinction in Latin and the other for proficiency in mathematics.

Only members of the graduating class will be allowed to compete for the prizes. A committee will be appointed to decide upon the best essay. The faculty will point out the students standing highest in Latin and mathematics. One student will be allowed to take only one medal. In case one student stands highest in two of the branches, the two standing second best will receive one of the medals.

Medals have never before been offered in the Wilmington public schools and the three now established promise to create a friendly and interesting rivalry among the pupils, which will no doubt result in much good. The names of the donors will not be announced until commencement, the one for the best essay being by a leading member of the Wilmington bar and the other two by prominent business men.

Superintendent J. J. Blair has announced to the pupils of the High School that the medals will be awarded and the conditions under which they will be given.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Fayetteville is talking the matter of a big fruit and flower fair to be held in that city next Summer.

— An emergent communication of Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M. for work in F. C. degree will be held to-night.

— Southport *Standard*: "Capt. J. J. Adkins went to Buffalo, N. Y., last week to pilot a passenger steamer from that place to Brunswick, Ga. The steamer was expected to arrive here last night or to-day for coal and water."

— The meeting of persons interested in the establishment of a canning factory in the trucking belt of Eastern Carolina was deferred from last night to a subsequent date. The meeting was to have been held at the City Hall.

— Cape Fear Camp, Confederate Veterans, will hold its regular monthly meeting to-night. Much business is to be transacted, as for the past two months there has been no meeting for want of a quorum. A large attendance is desired.

— Goldsboro *Argus*, 10th: "The congregation of St. Stephen's Episcopal church as well as the general public will be glad to learn that Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield, rector of that church, has declined a call from St. Stephen's Episcopal church in Oxford and will remain in Goldsboro."

— In the municipal court yesterday a number of unimportant cases were tried. Louis Murphy, colored, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon and carrying a concealed weapon was discharged and the prosecutor was taxed up with the cost. Dennis Nobles, a white vagrant, was given an opportunity of leaving the city instanter.

Estate in Mississippi.

Capt. S. F. Craig, of this city, has gone to Scranton, Miss., to look after the interest of Mrs. Craig in a large estate left there by the late Thomas Galloway, of Brunswick county, who moved to Mississippi about the year 1858 and died some years later. The heirs of the estate here knew nothing of their interest until Mr. J. P. Smith, a saw mill man of Scranton, came to Southport this week and opened negotiations with them for large bodies of timbered land belonging to the late Mr. Galloway and aggregating several thousand acres. Capt. Craig went to Scranton to look after the matter in person.

Escaped Convict From Greene.

Travers Scott, an escaped convict from Greene Co., was arrested yesterday morning at Front and Market streets, where he was pointed out to Policeman John Meier and identified as a fugitive by Mr. L. M. Holden, of Snow Hill. The arrest of the negro was upon a telegram from Sheriff B. W. Edwards, of Greene county, who was notified of the negro's presence here by Mr. Holden. Scott will be taken back to Snow Hill as soon as Sheriff Edwards arranges for transportation, etc.

News of the Quarantines.

The Health Department yesterday established a quarantine for scarlet fever at 111 South Tenth street, the patient being LeRoy Harriss, colored, 10 years old. The quarantines for diphtheria and scarlet fever at the residences of Mr. Beach, 307 North Sixth street, and E. B. Moss, 112 Ann street, were lifted yesterday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wood Up—Cook with gas.
Masonic—Meeting Wil. Lodge.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Use Gas—Coal and wood gone up.

A BIG DAMAGE SUIT.

Complaint Filed in Action for the Recovery of $5,000 by Hugh Schwartz.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Lineman Who Fell From Pole and Was Injured Last August Alleges That He Was Knocked Off by Electric Current--Interesting Case.

Complaint was filed yesterday in a $5,000 damage suit which Messrs. Russell & Gore have brought against the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co., in behalf of their client, Hugh Schwartz, the lineman who fell from a post, near Front and Grace street, last August and received injuries, which at first were thought fatal. The case will likely not be reached at the next term of court, as most of the one week allotted will be taken up with the Terry murder trial. Messrs. Davis & Davis and perhaps other attorneys will appear for the defendant corporation.

The complaint to which Schwartz makes affidavit sets forth in the opening section that the defendant is a corporation duly existing under the laws of North Carolina, etc., and continues with the allegations that on or about Aug. 25th, 1903, plaintiff was in the employ of the defendant by contract in the capacity of painter, to paint the trolley poles of the company along the line of its railroad in the city of Wilmington.

That the defendant, disregarding its duty to protect its employes and the public from the danger of dangerous electric currents, so carelessly, negligently and unskilfully constructed and maintained its electric line, that it provided an unsafe, defective and insecure insulated bell or clasp to which the span wires joined for a support for the trolley wire at or near the corner of Front and Grace streets, as it well knew or had reason to know, but of which the plaintiff did not know and had not the means of knowing.

That because of said negligence of the defendant, while plaintiff was in the discharge of his duties as painter and while painting a pole near Front and Grace streets, by reason of said unsafe, defective and insecurely insulated bell, while standing on the span wire connected to said pole and the defective bell or trolley wire supporter and touching the ground wire, received a terrific and powerful electric shock and was thrown headlong from the pole a distance of 25 feet to the brick pavement below.

Concluding the complaint sets forth that plaintiff was laid up in the hospital for five weeks with great suffering and expense and that he is permanently injured in his hips, being now unable to perform his duties as lineman or electrician or do any other hard manual labor to his damage in the sum of $5,000, which amount with the cost is asked of the court.

TO PRESENT FLAG AND BIBLE.

Junior Order of United American Mechanics to Continue Its Good Work.

At a meeting of Jeff Davis Council No. 63, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last night it was decided to present Delgado School, at Delgado Mills, with a flag and a bible on next Wednesday night, November 18th. The following committee was appointed, which will make all necessary arrangements: Messrs. G. J. Boney, J. H. Swinson, John E. Wood, J. A. Jordan and C. W. Craig. The committee will arrange a programme, which will be published in Sunday's papers. They will also arrange for trolley cars to run a convenient schedule for visitors from the city. The Delgado Band will furnish music for the occasion. The affair promises to be a big success.

In the near future, after Thanksgiving, the Juniors propose to erect flags and present bibles to the schools on Greenville and Masonboro sounds, and they hope to continue until they present every school in New Hanover county with a flag and a bible.

LOCAL SHIPPING AND MEMORANDA.

Cotton and Naval Stores--Lumber Schooner—Arrival of British Steamer.

Schooner "Cox and Green" cleared yesterday for New York with cargo of 481,573 feet lumber, consigned by the Cape Fear Lumber Co.

Spirits turpentine was firm at 56½c on the local market yesterday. Cotton was steady at 10½c; receipts 2,959 bales, against 2,243 same day last year.

British steamer "Gadsby," 2,373 tons, Capt. Robinson, arrived yesterday afternoon from Philadelphia and will receive cargo of cotton from Messrs. Sprunt & Son.

Southport Personals.

Southport *Standard*: "Miss Addie Adkins, of Wilmington, is visiting relatives and friends in Southport. —— Sheriff Peter Rourk returned to his home at Shallotte last Thursday, after a trip to Wilmington. —— C. D. Weeks, Esq., and wife, of Wilmington, are in Southport, the former on professional business. —— Mr. L. O. Smith and Mrs. S. L. Smith, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Catter, of Graniteville, S. C., were here yesterday. —— Mrs. W. H. Stone, of Little River, visited her parents here this week. Mr. Stone came down from Wilmington yesterday afternoon, and they will return home this morning."

DOINGS AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Juniors Enjoyed an Opossum Hunt—Trip to the Sound—The Men's Meeting. Basket Ball Game.

About forty of the Juniors of the Y. M. C. A. went for "possums" on Wednesday night, accompanied by Dr. W. C. Galloway, Messrs. R. H. Pickett, R. W. Hicks, W. C. VonGlahn, Col. Walker Taylor and Mr. King. They had a pleasant time hunting for what they didn't get, but enjoyed the trip very much. Among the pleasant features was a lunch, which was very kindly arranged by Mr. Oscar Pearsall at his home and on whose property the hunt was conducted. One of the amusing sights was Mr. Dushan, perched in a persimmon tree, eating everything except the tree itself.

The next trip of the Juniors will be to the Sound on Saturday, leaving the Association building at 10:30 A. M. and returning about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Dushan will be in charge of the boys. In this trip none but members of the Association will be taken along. Each boy will go on a wheel and will take lunch, which will be eaten at the other end of the trip.

The next game of basket ball will be to-night at 8:30 o'clock, between the Doshers and the Littles. Both teams have been practicing and are in good condition for a fast game. The teams will line-up as follows:

DOSHERS.	LITTLES.
R. Schulken	forward R. Houston
L. VonGlahn	forward W. A. Little
W. R. Owen	center F. DuPre
F. M. Bryant	guard A. C. Boney
W. C. Smith	guard E. T. Hancock

The colors will be: Dosher's, red. Little's, blue. Umpire, Mr. Dushan, Time keeper, D. W. Davis. Scorer, J. A. McGeachy. The admission will be ten cents.

The men's meeting on Sunday afternoon will be addressed by the Rev. William Francis Ireland, of New York. Mr. Ireland is a man of much prominence among Northern divines. He is a second cousin of Archbishop Ireland, though he is a Baptist be denomination. Mr. Ireland was for several years an actor of considerable note, but was converted several years ago, since which he has been preaching, and has filled some important charges. His subject on Sunday will be "From the Stage to the Pulpit." Probably there is no other man in the country who can so well tell about the experience of stage life as he, because of his own experience. Mr. Ireland is now on his Southern tour and will remain in the city for a few days before going to Texas, where he will make his home.

THE PICTURE OVERDRAWN.

Mr. E. A. Moore, of Currie, Corrects False Impressions of Atlanta Visit.

Mr. E. A. Moore, of Currie, Pender county, who was the gentleman referred to in the dispatch from Atlanta, printed in the STAR yesterday morning, called at the office last night and asked that the statements of the Georgia reporter be corrected. Mr. Moore says that the affair was made a "mountain out of a mole hill." He simply called at the school house to see his children and took his little son for a walk down town and made a few purchases for him, as any father would do; that he had no idea of abducting the child and all reports of threats are absolutely without foundation. He regrets the unpleasant notoriety and says the picture of the "sensation at the school" was very much overdrawn. This statement of the affair is given in justice to Mr. Moore, who is a member of one of the leading families of his section. He appears to have been a victim of the over-sensational Atlanta newspaper man.

RUMMAGE SALE POSTPONED.

Articles Will be Called for Next Wednesday—DeRosset's Store.

The ladies of the North Carolina Sorosis beg to announce that the Rummage Sale already mentioned in these columns has been postponed for several days owing to the inability to secure the store at the time proposed. All friends who have so kindly promised articles for this worthy undertaking may expect them to be called for on Wednesday, the 18th, instead of on next Saturday as previously stated.

It is hoped the delay will be of value as it will allow more time for searching those well filled store rooms which we feel sure our friends will be happy to investigate for so good a cause.

A telephone message can be sent to any member of the club who will gladly place it in the hands of the proper committee. The store secured for this sale is the one now occupied by Mr. R. DeRosset, 107 Market street.

"Gresham" Proceeded.

The Revenue Cutter "Gresham," which was in port a couple of days, with Capt. Shoemaker aboard on an official inspection, proceeded to Southport at 6 o'clock yesterday evening and will sail this morning for Charleston; thence further south and along the Gulf coast as far as Galveston, Tex. The "Gresham's" visit has been exceedingly pleasant and the friends of the officers regret to see them leave so soon.

His Brother is Extremis.

Mr. J. C. Lord, the popular chief clerk in the office of General Passenger Agent W. J. Craig, of the Coast Line, left yesterday afternoon for Louisville, Ky., in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his brother, who was not expected to live. The numerous friends of Mr. Lord hope that he will find his brother improved when he reaches Louisville.

VERDICT SET ASIDE.

Judge Peebles in Wake Superior Court Criticised Findings by a Jury.

GAVE VERDICT FOR $30,000.

Contrary to Evidence and Court's Charge, Said His Honor—Bassett Resolution Was Turned Down by County School Superintendents.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 13.—Judge Peebles in the Superior Court here today set aside a verdict returned by the jury, giving George Smith, a 19-year-old brakeman, thirty thousand dollars damages against the Seaboard Air Line for the loss of his right leg and right arm. Judge Peebles said he never knew a verdict more contrary to the evidence and judge's charge, and declared it the largest damages ever given by a North Carolina jury for total disability. T. B. Womack, counsel for the Seaboard, made the motion to set aside.

By a vote of 57 to 9 the State Convention of County School Superintendents tabled without debate the resolution by Superintendent Costin, of Gates, denouncing the article by Prof. Bassett on the race question. The full text of the resolution was as follows:

"WHEREAS, There is a condition of mutual unrest throughout the country in regard to the so-called race problem; and,

"WHEREAS, The people of North Carolina do not recognize any such question from a social or political status, but consider it only from an industrial standpoint; and,

"WHEREAS, The utterances of a man honored by a professorship in one of the leading educational institutions in the State ought not to be ignored by us; and,

"WHEREAS, An article appeared in the *News and Observer* of November 1st, 1903, copied from the *South Atlantic Quarterly*, written by Prof. Bassett, of Trinity College, which does a great injustice to the Southern people:

"1. Because the statement that Booker Washington is the greatest man born in the South in a hundred years except Lee, is a gross insult to the intelligence of the South.

"2. The statement that the negro will 'finally win equality' is repugnant and revolting to the manhood and womanhood of the South, and has no foundation of condition or sentiment, which would make it impossible. Therefore, be it

"*Resolved*, That we, the county superintendents of North Carolina, condemn in terms immeasurable the aforesaid article."

HENRY E DIXEY TO-NIGHT.

Distinguished New York Comedian in Successful Comedy at the Academy.

To-night Henry E. Dixey will present at the Academy "Facing the Music." The story of the comedy is something like this: A young husband whose wife is away from home on a visit is suddenly beset by a succession of mishaps. It transpires that living on the same block with the young husband, whose name is Smith, is a curate, whose name also is Smith. Like the plain Mr. Smith, the Rev. Smith is married, and to a young wife. Like his citizen namesake also, the churchman's wife is away from home. Returning home, in her husband's temporary absence, the wife of the curate, through a very natural and very ingenious situation, takes up her abode in the home of the plain Smith, the plain Smith, at the hour of her arrival being rather frivolously elsewhere than at his own fireside. The comic woes of the four Smiths and a host of other incidental folks, as consequences of this mix up, are said to be excrutiatingly funny. The piece laughed its way through a run of two hundred nights at the Garrick Theatre within the year, and Chicago roared at it all Summer.

The sale of seats opened yesterday morning at Plummer's and they went in a hurry. The prices are $1.50, $1.00, 50 and 25 cents.

Steel Bridge Completed.

Messrs. J. A. Dew, of Berta, and C. A. Blizzard, of Keith, N. C., leading citizens of Pender county, are here on a business trip. Mr. Blizzard informs the STAR of the completion of the new steel bridge across Black river at Still Bluff, four miles this side of Point Caswell. It is a substantial structure and will be of untold benefit to that section of the county.

Dr. Dosher to Wed.

Dr. J. Arthur Dosher, of Southport, arrived last evening and is a guest at The Orton. Friends of Dr. Dosher are contratulating him upon the announcement of his forthcoming marriage with Miss Grace Kennard Keyworth Dent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Francis Dent, on Monday, Nov. 23rd, at the bride's home, Town Point, St. Mary's county, Md.

Emmett Benton Falls.

Friends of Mr. J. E. Benton, formerly of this city, will regret to learn that since engaging in business for himself at Newbern, he has been forced by financial reverses into voluntary bankruptcy. He hopes, however, to so arrange that he will be able to resume business a little later.

Hear Bankruptcy Petition.

Referee S. P. Collier at his office at 11 o'clock this morning will hear the petition of Messrs. Russell & Gore, asking that the Sneed Company, of this city, be declared an involuntary bankrupt. The history of the case is well known, and the litigation following the petition promises to be quite complicated.

A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Miss Hattie Cornelia Orrell, Bride of Mr. Joseph P. Wilson, of Warsaw, N. C. Reception Last Evening.

A quiet, though very pretty wedding ceremony at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Robert C. Orrell, No. 315 Dock street, joined in marriage Miss Hattie Cornelia Orrell, an attractive young lady of this city, and Mr. Joseph P. Wilson, prominent young business man of Warsaw, N. C. The service was by Rev. J. N. Cole, pastor of Grace M. E. church, and a few intimate friends and relatives of the bride and groom were in attendance. The parlors of the hospitable home where the ceremony took place, were tastefully decorated with palms and ferns and the marriage scene was very pretty indeed.

The bride wore a lovely creation of white China silk and carried an exquisite bouquet of white carnations. Her travelling gown was of black broadcloth, the bride and groom having left at 7 o'clock on the northbound train for their future home at Warsaw, where an elegant reception was tendered in their honor last evening. Miss Georgia Orrell, sister of the bride, accompanied the couple and assisted in receiving at the reception last night.

Mr. Wilson is proprietor of the leading hotel at Warsaw and is also a progressive young merchant of that place. Among the out-of-town guests for the wedding were Miss Mary Wilson, sister of the groom, Mrs. H. J. Carlton and Mr. A. J. Herring all of Warsaw.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. T. W. Andrews, of Charlotte, is at The Orton.

— Mr. W. J. McGirt, of Whiteville, was here yesterday.

— Mr. S. W. Venable, Jr., of Wilson, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mr. Paul Cantwell, who had his knee dislocated in a foot ball game two weeks ago, is able to be out.

— Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, of Goldsboro, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Bunting, on North Third street.

— Raleigh *Post*, 12th: "Mr. C. C. McClellan went to Wilmington yesterday on official business for the revenue department."

— Miss Cornelia Fillyaw is in Charleston visiting her sister, Mrs. W. L. Jones. She will attend the U. D. C. Convention while there.

—Greenville *Reflector*, 10th: "Miss Nellie W. Kerr, of Wilmington, arrived Monday evening and will accept a position as school teacher."

— Fayetteville *Observer* 12th: "Messrs. D. T. Wilson, of Richmond, and F. R. Tomlinson, of Wilmington, popular young travelling men, are in the city."

— Cameron F. MacRae, Esq., went to Fayetteville yesterday to attend a hearing before Referee S. H. MacRae in the bankruptcy proceedings of the Johnson Lumber Co.

— Capt. A. W. Wiggs, of Ashpole, Robeson county, N. C., who is pleasantly remembered here as captain of police for a long time, is in the city to spend some time and is being cordially greeted by his many friends. He is a guest of his relative, Mr. R. H. Moore, Fourth and Swann streets.

The November issue of the "Purple Folder" of the Atlantic Coast Line contains an accurate map of the State of Florida in addition to the map of the system, which adds to the attractiveness of this folder.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MASONIC TEMPLE, Nov. 13, 1903.

Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION this (Friday) evening at 8 P. M. for work in F. C. Degree.

Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.

By order W. M.

THOS. F. BAGLEY, Secretary.

nov 13 1t

LIPTON'S MEAT.

3,100 Lbs. Pic-Nics 7c.
2,860 Lbs. Butts 5 1-2c.
2,910 Lbs. Backs 6 1-2c.
7,800 Lbs. Fa'y Plates 7 1-2
9,200 Lbs. Nice Ribs 8c.

We keep posted and take care of you.

W. B. COOPER,
308, 310 & 312 Nutt street.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
oct 30 tf

FRUIT CAKE

For your Fruit Cake we have it cleaned and prepared ready for use:

Raisins 15c per lb., 2 for 25c
Currents 10c per lb., 3 for 25c
Citron 20c per lb., 3 for 50c
Orange Peel 20 per lb., 3 for 50c
Lemon Peel 20 per lb., 3 for 50c
Figs 15 per pound.
Shelled Almonds 35c per pound.
Shelled Walnuts 35c per pound.

WILMINGTON BAKING CO.,
Phil. Christ's Old Stand,
no 12 tf 109 S. Front St.

Wood
Has Gone Up In Price,
But the Price of
GAS
REMAINS THE SAME.
Moral: Cook With Gas.
nov 13 3t

Rehder's Rehder's

THE STORE THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

TO OUT OF TOWN WHOLESALE BUYERS.

We are now offering special Bargains in our Candy Department. This Department to-day is one of the leaders in this house. No other house in this city offers to you such an assortment as is to be had here.

The very best assortment of Penny Goods, French and Broken Mixture, Chocolate Drops, Stick Candy and Chewing Gums now fill this Department. We are distributors of

Headley's Famous Chocolates in Fancy Packages.

Write for prices, or call to see us when in the city. It's to your interest as well as ours.

J. H. REHDER & CO.,
nov 8 tf 615, 617, 619 North Fourth St., Wilmington, N. C.

Fur and Cloak Display
At The C. W. Polvogt Co.
Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Sol. A. Pyle, of New York, will be at our Store Monday and Tuesday and will display a fine assortment of high price Furs and Wraps, ranging in price from $5.00 to $200 each. Those wishing to buy a nice Fur Set or Wraps will do well to call early to-morrow. These goods will be displayed in our windows.

C. W. Polvogt Co.
nov 8 tf

GIVE US
FLOUR
RECOGNIZED AS BEST ON EARTH IS
PILLSBURY'S BEST.
THE PRICE
is high, but what a vast difference in the quality and size of the Bread.
THE F. E. HASHAGEN CO.,
no 1 tf Agents.

Sealed Proposals

will be received at the Mayor's office, Wilmington, N. C.,

UNTIL NOV. 14TH, 1903,

at eleven o'clock A. M., for furnishing all material and labor for

Paving Market Street

from Second to Fourth, with either Vitrified Paving Blocks or Vitrified Paving Brick. The surface to be covered, 6,300 yards approximately.

Specifications for either kind of pavement with plan and profile of the street, can be had by application to the Mayor.

A CERTIFIED CHECK FOR $600

must be deposited with each bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
Mayor.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 10, 1903.

N. B.—All bids must conform strictly to the general instructions and conditions, plans and specifications now to be seen at the office of the Mayor. nov 11 4t

Mullets.

Full weight packages new fish.

Seed Rye and Oats.
BAGGING AND TIES.
Cargo SALT just arrived.
HALL & PEARSALL.
sep 16 tf

Name the Shoe.

You will get $30.00 for it, provided the name you give is accepted above all others. For next choice $10.00 will be given and for third and fourth choices, $5.00 each will be paid by a certain responsible manufacturer, of Boston, Mass.

It Costs You Nothing to Try.

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BOWLING ALLEYS
For Benefit of the Ladies.

The Excelsior Triple Bowling Alleys at 114 North Front street have been opened and the management desires to announce that upon a few hours notice the entire set of three alleys will be reserved exclusively for any party of ladies who may desire to use same. Absolutely no connection in any way with saloon below, nor will admittance be given to outsiders when alleys are reserved. No charge will be made to any party of ladies who may desire to use the alle s before November 10th.
'Phone 45. nov 3 tf

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 13.

NORTHERN VIEW OF "SEGREGATION" OF THE NEGRO.

The Brooklyn, N. Y., *Citizen* is astute enough and has had sufficient observation of the negro from a socialogical, civil and political, if not religious, standpoint to lay down the strongest possible reasons why the segregation and even aggregation of the negro is utterly illogical and unadvisable. The Northern people had some theoretical convictions on the negro question when he was far away from them in the South, but since the war between our States sufficient numbers of the negro have emigrated from the South to Northern communities to give the fair, judicious and unprejudiced Northerner a tangible and practical conception of the race problem as we have seen it at the South.

The *Citizen* of November 10th, in an editorial under the caption of "The Negro Problem" covers grounds which are not new to the Southerner, but which are so aplomb with the position of the Southern white man, that THE STAR reproduces it to show what a clear conception of the question can eminate from a Northern source. The *Citizen* says:

"It is not practicable to set apart any considerable section of this country for negroes, as proposed by Bishop Halsey, of the African Methodist Church, but if it were, there would still be strong reasons against the project. The negro has done best where he has been most subject to white influence. It is not in States that have a large negro population that the colored brother has shown the greatest capacity for civilization, but in States like Massachusetts, where he is surrounded, stimulated and held up by the influence of a race superior to his own. Even in our Northern cities it is noticeable that as soon as negroes are allowed to herd together, they sink in the moral and social scale. The best examples of what the colored people are capable of are found in neighborhoods where only a few colored families are placed amid white conditions. The negro is an imitative person, and it is obviously necessary for him to have something worthy of imitation before his eyes constantly, if he is not to relapse.

"This truth has been illustrated on a large scale in the West Indies, where there has been an unmistakable loss of ground by the colored man since he was allowed to rule himself. Hayti may be called the conclusive experiment in this line. No intelligent person familiar with the condition of that Republic entertains the slightest hope of an improvement in the condition of the population till it is again brought under the control of some white man's government. In Africa itself the experience is to the same effect. The old-time dream of a flourishing Republic in Liberia has faded away, and is now recalled only to be wondered at.

"The whole prospect of progress in Africa is dependent upon the division of the continent into provinces, in which the several governments of Europe will exercise authority and by slow degrees elevate the natives by enforcing law, encouraging steady industry and diffusing education. In South Africa the experience of Boer and Briton alike is that the negro needs a master if he is to emerge from barbarism, and there is now complete agreement between the Boers and Britons as to the utter folly of treating the negro as if he were equal in capacity for the exercise of self-control with the whites. How best to place him under salutary restraint, without reviving any of the evils of slavery, is really the unsolved problem in the Cape settlements, and something of the same nature will plainly have to be confronted in the Southern States of this country. The notion that if he were treated like white men, he would act like them, has been as thoroughly dismissed from the Boer and British mind as it has been dismissed from the minds of thoughtful Americans.

"There will, therefore, be no segregation of the negro attempted in this country. To make him orderly and industrious may be said to be the two objects to which the efforts of his friends will be constantly directed hereafter."

The *Citizen* sums up the question by suggesting a distribution of the negro instead of his segregation or even aggregation into communities and lays down the proposition that "to make him orderly and industrious may be said to be the two objects to which the efforts of his friends will be constantly directed hereafter."

That has long been the aim of the negro's Southern friends, and more, for they have liberally and generously provided for his education and enlightenment at the sacrifice of their own interests. The only question, however, which may give us concern as to our duty towards the negro is whether we have done anything since emancipation to inculcate moral principles and disseminate a true standard of religion among the negroes. We make this observation, having in mind the praiseworthy policy of negro evangelization which in recent years has become a policy of some of our Southern denominations—notably the Episcopalians and Presbyterians.

Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an advertisement of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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PANAMA IS OURS.

Cuba, with her consent, got independence with a string to it. That republic can contract no foreign debt without our consent and she can enter into no treaty without the approval of the United States. If Panama maintains her independence against any coercive measure Colombia might possibly adopt she will either become another satelite of Uncle Sam, same as Cuba, or ultimately be annexed to the great and expanding American republic. With such a prodigious and stupendous interest as we will have in the control and ownership of the isthmian canal, we do not risk much as a prophet in predicting that Panama is destined to be United States territory as soon as we can decently do the annexing act and get our assimilating wing over this important and valuable strip of the American continent.

Bryan has gone to Europe, but before he left he gave it out that he would fight it out along the line of the Kansas City platform until he gets greyheaded. He is a man of strong convictions and is no veering weathercock, to be sure.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— It has been said that the Democratic party is without a man and a principle. It has both. There is abundant material in the party for a presidential ticket which will command the confidence of the country. The trouble with the party is not a lack of principles, but a departure from them under unwise leadership. The safety and welfare of the country depend largely upon an opposition party, strong and patriotic.—*Baltimore Sun.*

—— Old Mr. Bennett, the great admirer of Mr. Wm. J. Bryan, undoubtedly wished to leave him $50,000, but he put it off, with a doubtful construction, in his will. So, Mr. Bryan loses the $50,000 at law, while retiring from the contest with a clean bill of health, morally. He says that the decision satisfies him, and we are bound to believe him. Politically, he may be off the track; but personally he is an upright man, in all the walks of life.—*Augusta Chronicle.*

—— Editor Henri Watterson says in the Louisville *Courier-Journal*: "Softly! Softly! We shall get the canal. The Paris stock gamblers will get the forty millions. The Gray Wolves of the Senate will get the advance on the French bonds. The Skunks of the lobby will get the offal promised them. Teddy will get his nomination. And, the rest of us, Old Transcontinental along with us, will just have e'en to grin and bear it, for the Little Nigger of Panama, like his big brother in the South, is here to stay!"

—— It is in the hand of Hay, but the voice of Roosevelt. We have no desire to impute the slightest want of sincerity and labored apology, for the action of the president in the Panama matter is not couched in his usual clear and candid style; its reasoning is not clear and direct as his is wont to be; its spirit is touched with a bluster quite foreign to his habit and to that sense of propriety and that deeper sense of justice which his correspondence has hitherto manifested. It is with no disrespect that we confess that the traits for which we are are not prepared in a document from the pen of Mr. Hay would not surprise us in the utterance of Mr. Roosevelt.—*New York Times.*

—— The most futile of all suggestions is that made by the National Association of Agricultural Implement and Vehicle Manufacturers, that when it shall be deemed wise to revise the tariff the changes shall be advised by business men and that there should be a permanent non-partisan tariff commission to propose changes. Whenever the tariff is changed it is on the advice of business men; pretty uniformly those who will profit from higher duties. Some business men want more duties and some want less. As long as party divisions are made by differences over the tariff a non-partisan tariff commission is a contradiction of terms.—*Philadelphia Record.*

—— Likewise Ohio honors her dead sons who gave their lives in the battles about this city, and the governor of the state, and his staff, accompanied by distinguished citizens, come to lay the oblations of a grateful people upon the field that made their countrymen glorious and heroic. The sentiment they foster and keep alive is the spirit of chivalry, of patriotism, of love of country, which happily lives deeply engrafted upon the hearts of the people and which will manifest itself always in defense of the national honor and prosperity. We assure the Ohio visitors that Chattanooga is in sympathy with their generous purposes and that we will guard the emblems of affection they deposit here in memory of their dead as a sacred trust.—*Chattanooga Times.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Durham *Herald*: If Mr. Cleveland has ever had a chance he has it yet.

— Durham *Herald*: Some fellow is willing to accept Mr. Hearst as the leader if they will put Mr. Aycock on the tail of the ticket. But why not reverse it.

— Greenville *Reflector*: Prof. Bassett now defers the consummation of his negro equality scheme to a date five hundred years distant. He ought to have waited until then to give his "views."

— Greenvlle *Reflector*: North Carolina day in the public schools will be celebrated in December this year. It is a beautiful and patriotic custom and should wake echoes of State love in the hearts of all true North Carolinians.

— Dunn *Guide*, Nov. 10: Those from this part of the county attending court at Lillington next week and the week following, can make the trip by rail. The Raleigh & Cape Fear will hold their train at the Junction for the C. F. & N.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The work of tearing down the brick building on Walnut street, so long occupied by the city, as Mayor's Court and offices, is now under full headway, and on the site will be erected four commodious modern business houses This does not look as if property holders consider that prohibition, after the first of January, is going to ruin Goldsboro as a great commercial centre.

— Greenville *Reflector*: If Pitt is not the banner educational county in the State, it is no fault of the brave and untiring men and women who lead the vanguard of enlightment. Pitt's teachers and school officers, from the highest to the lowest, form an aggregation of brains, sincerity and earnestness of purposes excelled nowhere and equalled rarely. The county and State owe them much and can never pay them enough.

— The Greenville, N. C., *Reflector* is moved to say: "It is no longer witty or appropriate to designate North Carolinians as 'tar heels.' Whatever significance the term may have had in the past, and it has always been more in the nature of a jest or jibe than anything else, it is now obsolete and meaningless, and should be gently laid to rest in the limbo of the innocuous desuetude. North Carolinians are too broad and versatile a people to be covered by any nickname. Their achievements in every field of thought and endeavor and their love for the land that bore them stamps them 'men,' and that is enough."

— Durham *Herald*, Nov. 11th: There will come up in the circuit court of appeals in Richmond on Friday of this week, a case in which North Carolina is considerably interested, and one in which Durham lawyers appear. This will be the Henderson county bond case, involving $97,000. The traveller's Life Insurance Company is the plaintiff in this case. This is a case in which Henderson county issued bonds, later refunded these bonds, and still later repudiated the entire issue. In the trial of the case before Judge Boyd, in Greensboro, the Traveller's Insurance Company won and Henderson county appealed.

— Goldsboro *Argus*, Nov. 10th: Alfred Daniel, convicted of the murder of Mr. F. G. Simmons, father of Senator Simmons, was brought here to-day by the sheriff of Jones county and placed in jail for safe keeping. Since the completion of Wayne county's new jail a number of criminals from other counties have been brought here for safe keeping. Wayne county has not only one of the strongest and most secure, but one of the largest jails in the State. —— It will be a matter of general regret in this section that General Gordon, owing to previous engagements, will not be able to visit Goldsboro before next Spring to deliver his famous lecture on war times in the South.

TWINKLINGS

— Little Willie (reading)—Say, pa, who are the deserving poor? Sagacious Father—Those who don't deserve to be poor, my son.—*Chicago News.*

— Widow (tearfully)—Yes, my daughters are now my only resources. Friend—Take my advice and husband your resources well.—*Princeton Tiger.*

— "Women feel where men think," said the female with the square chin. "Yes," sighed the man who had been married three times; "that's why men become bald."—*The Lyre.*

— Blanche—I heard her say some one was as beautiful as Antinous. Do you know who Antinous was? Clara—No, and I don't care, particularly. But I'd like to know whom she was talking about.—*Life.*

Visitor—I don't believe in abolishing the sale of liquor. To restrict it is another matter. Native—Well, stranger, we haven't abolished it. We've just restricted it to the drug stores.—*Town and Country.*

—Mr. Newly-Wed (in the kitchen)—What are you cooking there, my dear? Mrs. Newly-Wed (excitedly)—Don't bother me now. There's the cook book. I'm making recipe No. 187 on page 396.—*November Woman's Home Companion.*

— Mrs. Cassidy—We'll have to be gettin' a pianny for Mary Ann to be learnin' music. Mr. Cassidy—I'll buy her one on one condition—that she don't start to learn to play it till she knows how.—*Catholic Standard and Times.*

Special Rate Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Raleigh, N. C.—Meeting State Association of County Superintendents of Public Instruction. Tickets on sale Nov. 9th, 10th and 11th; final limit Nov. 14th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, $6.55.

Dunn, N. C.—State Holiness Convention. Tickets on sale Nov, 2d, 3d and 4th; final limit Nov. 18th. Fare from Wilmington for round trip, $5.05.

Winston-Salem — Annual Conference Methodist Protestant Church. Tickets on sale Nov. 16th, 17th and 18th; final limit Nov. 25th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, $9.70. †

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To All Persons in Wilmington Who Wish to Gain Flesh.

Some people do not need to gain flesh, but many must before health can be restored to a normal condition.

Are you thin? Do you require more flesh to be really well and strong? If you do I want you to commence a course of treatment now with Vinol, and I will agree that if after you have taken what I consider should be enough to restore your normal weight, and it has not succeeded, I will pay for all the medicine you have taken myself.

Now you will agree that I would ruin myself financially if I should make such a bold offer on an article of no merit, and I must know what I am talking about, or I would not guarantee the action of any medicine like that.

A prominent physician recently said, "The best way to gain good, solid, firm flesh is to take Vinol, for in it you get all the curative, flesh-making and strength-creating properties contained in that grand old remedy, cod liver oil, without the nauseating oil itself, and the weakest stomach can retain it. Thin people are usually weak and ailing and Vinol is what they need."

Dr. Z. F. Highsmith of Sumter, S. C., writes: "While taking Vinol I gained ten pounds; it restored appetite and strength."

Mr. E. O. Taft of Boonton, N. J., writes: "Vinol increased my weight eight pounds in a short time, and made me well."

Mr. Henry Dickens, of Nashville, Tenn., writes: "Vinol increased my weight 17 pounds and cured me. I could not take cod liver oil, as it disagreed with me and upset my stomach."

C. G. Johnson, of Burlington, Vt., writes: "Vinol has restored my lost weight and I have gained 20 pounds. Old-fashioned cod liver oil upset my stomach, but Vinol made me well."

So we might go on quoting from hundreds of such letters, and it is for this reason I know what Vinol will do. You see it acts first upon the stomach, creates an appetite for good, wholesome food, and strengthens and tones up the digestive organs so the food is properly assimilated. Rich, red blood is sent coursing through every vein; solid, firm flesh is created wherever it is needed, and emaciated figures, hollow cheeks and sunken eyes are soon a thing of the past. Vinol makes firm, healthy flesh, and the weak strong, because it strengthens every organ in the body to do its work.

Try it on our guarantee. Robt. R. Bellamy, druggist. †

Turf as Fuel.

Harold Harfagr in the year 888 granted the islands of Orkney to Earl Eyner, brother to Duke Rollo of Normandy. When Earl Eyner came to live in his new possessions he found them quite bare of any trees and producing only a very few stunted bushes.

The Orkneys are bitterly cold and wind swept, so when the inhabitants had used up all the wood they could procure they came to their new earl for advice. He recommended them to cut out pieces of turf, dry them and use them for fuel. This they did with such great success that the custom spread to Scotland and thence to Ireland and to many parts of England. Earl Eyner was always known afterward as Turf Eyner.

"Peat rights" were defined by march stones with three whelks laid under each and were jealously guarded by the townships or individuals to whom they belonged. Throughout Scotland up to the thirteenth century peat and bogwood were universally used for winter fires and broom and whin during summer.

Some etymologists regard the name of peat as almost synonymous with fuel, deriving it from the early English "beten," to replenish a fire.

Court Room Repartee.

In a suit relating to brewery property reported in Case and Comment an eminent and very dignified counselor was one day reading to the court some manuscript affidavits which were not overlegible and by mistake read the word "mash" as "wash." Counsel on the other side, who was small of stature and polite in manner, but keen in intellect and frequently sarcastic, was immediately on his feet and, with a somewhat irritating deference of manner, begging his opponent's pardon, etc., asked liberty to suggest that the word which the eminent counselor read "wash" was really "mash." Somewhat nettled, the counselor thus corrected thanked him for the information and added that he was not himself very familiar with terms used in the brewery business, as he had never spent much of his time in a place of that kind. "Are we to understand, then," said his opponent in the suavest manner, "that the eminent counselor wishes us to infer that his early days were spent in a laundry?"

Pontiffs Once Wore Red.

There are many people who will doubtless be interested to know that it is only since the thirteenth century that the popes have been accustomed to wear white. Until that time they were always arrayed in the red robes now affected by the cardinals. Boniface VIII., in 1294, however, realizing that the red was no longer a distinctive color of the papacy since his predecessors had accorded to their legates abroad the right to wear it, issued a decree granting to all the members of the sacred college the red robes which they now wear and decided that the white should henceforth be the hue of the raiment of himself and of his successors. The popes, however, still retain from those ancient days the red hat which they wear out of doors and the red mantle as well as the red shoes.

The Phrenologist and the Grocer.

Phrenologist—Here is a man out of his proper sphere. His head betokens high intellectual and spiritual qualities, yet he is spending his time behind a grocer's counter. Sir (to the grocer), I wish to ask you a question. Have you any aspirations—

Grocer (calling to clerk)—John, have we any aspirations?

Clerk—All out, sir; have some in the last of the week.—Kansas City Journal.

A Gleam From the Golden Gate.

Inclosed please find check for 6 dozen bottles of Cheney's Expectorant. My customers inquire frequently for it, and if the demand continues I will have to order in larger quantities.

ROY E. SIMPSON.

San Francisco, Cal.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Notions About the Candlestick, Whether For Use or Ornament.

The bedroom candle depends upon the style of its holder for becoming an interesting accessory to the smaller furnishings of the chamber. The tin candlesticks covered with enamel paint and the colored china are the least expensive for cottage rooms. Hand painted work may be introduced on fine white china candlesticks, with the same color and decorations employed in other parts of the room. Brass candlesticks always retain a high degree of popularity, antiques being carefully cherished and their reproductions almost as much thought of.

Silver candlesticks have a special fitness in the dining room among fine glass and china, the branching candelabra making a handsome part of the sideboard accouterments. Tall candlesticks made of rich toned mahogany are also in place in the dining room, says an exchange, their wooden surface not exacting the constant rubbing and polishing of the metals.

Russian candlesticks of hammered brass that stand four and five feet from the floor are sometimes used for a piano light, or simply as an element of decoration in a dark corner.

Candlesticks are made in glass shapes in fine or coarse make, the cost agreeing with the degree of fineness of the material. These seem to have the right setting in rooms finished in white paint and dainty furnishings.

An Emergency Cupboard.

An emergency cupboard is an important possession for the household, particularly where there are children. It need not be very deep nor high, but it should contain two shelves and among other things the following: Soft old cotton, linen or cheese cloth cut in strips and rolled for use for bandages or plasters, strips of flannel, vaseline, adhesive plaster, cotton wool, borax, fine sponge, hot water bottle, roll of fine string, spool of cotton and a bottle containing equal portions of limewater and sweet oil, the latter being an excellent mixture for burns.

The Refreshing Tomato.

The brilliant color of the tomato when quite ripe is very attractive, and when peeled and the succulent pulp chilled thoroughly, each tomato slashed partially through, in quarters, pressed partially open and set in cups of crisp, tender green lettuce leaves, served with a French dressing or mayonnaise, it brings rest, peace and refreshment to the victim of the overheated atmosphere and will cause him to rise up from such regalement and call the man blessed who was brave enough to first experiment with the tomato as an edible.

Chestnut Custard Pie.

For a chestnut custard pie filling boil and wash a sufficient quantity of chestnuts to yield one-half pint of pulp. Add one pint of milk, the yolks of two eggs, a scant one-half cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of vanilla. Turn into the paste lined dish and bake in a moderately quick oven for twenty minutes. For the meringue beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, add two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar and spread over the top of the pie. Return to the oven and when a yellowish brown stand aside to become cold.

For Carpets.

Although there may be many new liquids for freshening and brightening carpets, nothing will do better work than ox gall, says an exchange. Use one gill to a gallon of cold soft water, stirring the ox gall into the water with a stick. With a soft brush rub the carpet, making a white lather. Two persons should do this work, one following the other and washing the lather off with clear water. The water should be changed often, and then the carpet should be rubbed with clean cloths until dry.

An Attractive Laundry Bag.

A laundry bag as attractive as it is practical has made its appearance on the market. It is of heavy Jacquard terry, white upon color, and has the word laundry woven in large script across the center. The draw string is of heavy white cord, with tasseled ends. This bag, which comes in pink, blue, red, green and yellow, enables the lover of harmony to have bath robe, mat and laundry bag to match.

Ventilate Your Room.

The difference between gas and oil lamps in the matter of vitiating the air of a room is significantly indicated in the fact that florists use lamps in the greenhouses, gas never. Too frequent emphasis can hardly be put upon the necessity of airing a room thoroughly that must be slept in after having been gas lighted throughout the evening—a precaution too often neglected.

He Loved His Enemies.

James MacNeill Whistler looked upon life as upon a kind of warfare and was never so happy as when he was quarreling with somebody. He is quoted as having said when asked if he did not have many friends: "Yes, I have many friends, and I am grateful to them, but those whom most I love are my enemies, not in a Biblical sense. Oh, no, but because they keep one always busy, always up to the mark, either fighting them or proving them idiots."

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. Price 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, soften the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind. †

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 56½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $1.25@1.30; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 2.80@2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	42
Rosin	188
Tar	71
Crude turpentine	133

Receipts same day last year—62 casks spirits turpentine, 700 barrels rosin, 172 barrels tar, 70 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady at 10⅝c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 7¾c for middling.

Receipts—2,959 bales; same day last year, 2,243.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77½c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 85c.

CORN—Firm, 65@70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 17@18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12@12½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Money on call strong at 5½@6 per cent, closing bid 3 per cent., offered at 3 per cent.; time loans were firm: sixty days 6 per cent., ninety days 6 per cent.; six months 5½@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent. Sterling exchange was steadier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 483.30@483.40 for demand and at 479.45@479 55 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 480@481 and 484@485. Commercial bills 479¼. Bar silver 57⅛. Mexican dollars 44. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 106⅝; U.S. refunding 2's, coupon, 106⅝; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 107¼; do. coupon, 107¾; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 134½; do. coupons 134½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 110¼; U.S. 4's, old coupon, 110¼; U.S. 5's, registered, 101¼; do. coupon, 101¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 112¼, Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 87; Chesapeake & Ohio 27¾; Manhattan L 137; New York Central 114¾; Reading 38¼; do. 1st preferred 76½; do. 2nd preferred 56; St. Paul 135⅞; do. pref'd, 172; Southern Railway 16¼; do. pref'd 71⅛; Amalgamated Copper 38⅛; People's Gas 93¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 26¼; U. S. Leather 7; U. S. Leather, preferred, 75¼; Western Union 82⅝; U. S. Steel 10¼; do. preferred 51⅛; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 18¼; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 86; sales — shares. Standard Oil 650.

BALTIMORE, MD., Nov. 12.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 12@13¼; do. preferred, 21@21½; do. bonds, fours, 67@67¼. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 104½@107; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Rosin nominal. Spirits turpentine firm at 60@60½.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 12.—Spirits turpentine steady at 56; sales — casks Rosin steady; sales — barrels: A, B, C, $2 05; D, $1 95, E, $2 05; F, $2 15; G, $2 20; H, $2 25; I, $2 60; K, $2 70; M, $2 80; N, $3 00; W G, $3 15; W W $3 40.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 12.—Spirits turpentine was steady at 56½c; receipts 678 casks; sales 2,063 casks; exports 3,335 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 2,457 barrels; sales 1,423 barrels; exports 3,250 barrels: Quote: A, B, C, $2 05; D, $2 05; E, $2 10; F, $2 25; G, $2 30; H, $2 35; I, $2 70; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 10; W G, $3 25: W W $3 50.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, November 12.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of one to six points in spite of lower cables than expected, rather better weather than predicted, and the prospect for big receipts for the day on bull support and covering, which seemed chiefly due to the reassuring nature of advices from Fall River, stating that a strike was unlikely to result from the contemplated reduction in wages. After the call, trading was fairly active, but sentiment was very unsettled and fluctuations erratic, though comparatively narrow. By the middle of the forenoon prices had worked down until they were net five to eight points under the close of the previous night, but at this level the market was rallied by the estimates for to-morrow's receipts at leading points, which reflected a decreasing tendency in the movement. In addition to this, private advices from Southern spot markets reported a continued inquiry for actual cotton at fairly well maintained prices and during the afternoon buying became very active, particularly for the account of firms have New Orleans connections. Rumors were circulated that a strong Wall street syndicate had been formed for the purpose of entering upon a campaign, but this had little effect on the market, which continued to advance until it had reached nearly the previous high level. From 10.84 the low point of the morning, December sold to 11.09; January from 10.85 to 11.10; March touched 11.16 and May sold at 11.18. The close was a point or two off from the top, but the market was finally firm, net fourteen to twenty-one points higher. Sales were estimated at 800,000 bales. The New Orleans buying was supposed to represent the entrance into the local market of the New Orleans bull trader. There was heavy realizing as the market worked upward, but the disposition to sell seemed confined chiefly to low accounts, shorts apparently having been somewhat intimidated by the continued stability of values.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Cotton steady at 11.20c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 5,238 bales; stock 83,857 bales.

Cotton futures market closed firm: November 10.98, December 11.08, January 11.08, February 11.13, March 11.14, April 11.15, May 11.15, June 11.16, July 11.14, August 10.94.

Spot cotton closed steady and five points higher; middling uplands 11.20; middling gulf 11.45c; sales 2,325 bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 71,317 bales; exports to Great Britain 12,202 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 15,959 bales; Mexico — bales; stock 764,433 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 376,589 bales; exports to Great Britain 133,952 bales; exports to France 21,010 bales; exports to the Continent 94,576 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 1,450 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,751,463 bales; exports to Great Britain 838,094 bales; exports to France 261,063 bales; exports to the Continent 741,095 bales; exports to Japan 3,685 bales; exports to Mexico 13,978 bales.

Nov. 12—Galveston, firm at 10⅞c, net receipts 25,276 bales; Norfolk, steady at 10⅞c, net receipts 555 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11.15c, net receipts 62 bales; Wilmington, steady at 10.62½c, net receipts 2,957 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 11.45c, net receipts 26 bales; Savannah, steady at 10¾, net receipts 11,135 bales; New Orleans, firm at 10 13-16c, net receipts 21,316 bales; Mobile, firm at 10⅝c, net receipts 3,437 bales; Memphis, firm at 10⅝c, net receipts 5,999 bales; Augusta, firm at 10⅞c, net receipts 2,754 bales; Charleston, firm at 10⅝c, net receipts 1,601 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Flour was unsettled, weak and lower to sell; Minnesota patents $4 55@4 70; Minnesota bakers' $3 70@3 80. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 83½c. Options—On foreign buying of December and a feeling that spring wheat receipts were too light, wheat opened firmer. Then, yielding to aggressive bear tactics, it weakened for a time, but rallied again on big seaboard clearances, only to break finally under renewed liquidation. The close showed ⅝c net decline: May closed 80⅝c; July closed 78¼c; December closed 83½c. Corn—Spot easier; No. 2 49⅞c. Option market was generally easier and higher on showers West, room covering and a little bull support, but ultimately succumbed to a bear raid and closed unchanged to ⅛c net lower: May closed 47½c; July —c; December closed 48⅞c. Oats—Spot weak; No. 2 40c. Pork steady; family $18 00; short clear $13 25@15 00; mess $13 00@13 75. Lard easy; Western steam $5 40; refined easy; continent $7 60; compound 6¼@6⅝c. Tallow steady. Eggs—Market firm; State and Pennsylvania fancy mixed 30@31c. Butter quoted steady; extra creamery 22½c; State dairy 15@20c. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6½c; mild firm; Cordova 7¾@12¼c. Sugar—Raw nominal; refined quiet; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¼@3 13-16c. Cheese quiet; State, full cream fancy, small colored, September 11¾; State made 10¾; small white, September 11½c; State made 10¾. Peanuts were quiet; fancy hand-picked 4¾@5c; other domestic 3@4½. Potatoes were steady; Jersey $1 75@2 00; Long Island $1 75@2 25; State, Eastern and Western $1 50@2 00; Jersey sweets $1 50@2 50. Cabbage steady; domestic, per 100, $3 00@6 00; per barrel 75c@$1 00. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 15c. Molasses steady. Rice steady. Cotton seed oil quiet, prices slightly favoring buyers: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 25@25½c; prime summer yellow 33½@34c spot, November 33@33½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 37@38c; prime winter yellow 38@40c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Weakness in foreign markets caused renewed selling in the wheat pit to-day and further losses were sustained, December closing ½c. lower. December corn was off ⅛@¼c, oats were down ⅛@1c, with provisions easier, the January products closing unchanged to 7½c. lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Cash prices: Flour—Market steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 75½@77c; No. 2 red 76¼@78⅝. Corn—No. 2 42c; No. 2 yellow 42⅝c. Oats—No. 2 33½c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 34½@37c. Rye—No. 2 53c. Mess pork, per bbl, $11 50@11 62½. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 87½@6 90. Short rib sides, loose, $7 25@7 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, not quoted. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 75@6 87½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 25.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December, new, 76½@76¾, 76⅝, 75¾, 76c; May 76½@76⅝, 76⅞, 76, 76⅛@76¼c; July 73½@73¾, 73¼@73⅝, 73, 73⅛. Corn—No. 2 December 41⅞@42½, 42⅝@42¾, 41¼, 41⅜c; May 41½@41¾, 42, 41¼, 41⅜c; July 41½@41¾, 41⅞, 41⅛, 41¼@41⅜. Oats—No. 2 December 33⅞@34⅛, 34¼, 32⅞, 33c; May 34⅞@35, 35¼, 34, 35⅛@34¼c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $11 57½, 11 62½, 11 50, 11 55; May $11 70, 11 72½, 11 57½, 11 65. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $6 70; January $6 62½, 6 67½, 6 62½, 6 67½; May $6 60, 6 65, 6 60, 6 62½. Short ribs, per 100lbs—January $6 07½, 6 10, 6 05, 6 05; May $6 20, 6 22½, 6 15, 6 20.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 12.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand; prices two points lower; American middling fair 6.28d; good middling 6.10d; middling 6.02d; low middling 5.96d; good ordinary 5.86d; ordinary 5.66d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,800 bales American. Receipts 16,400 bales, all American.

Futures opened easier and closed quiet; American middling (g o c): November 5.87d; November and December 5.80@5.81d; December and January 5.77@5.78d; January and February 5.76d; February and March 5.76d; March and April 5.75@5.76d; April and May 5.75@5.76d; May and June 5.75d; June and July 5.74d; July and August 5.72@5.73d.

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W., C. & A. Railroad—1,158 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 76 barrels rosin, 44 barrels tar, 60 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—249 bales cotton, 21 casks spirits turpentine.

Steamer Whitlock—11 casks spirits turpentine, 43 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar.

Steamer City of Fayetteville—110 bales cotton.

Steamer Black River—2 casks spirits turpentine, 34 barrels rosin, 5 barrels tar.

Steamer Planter—429 bales of cotton.

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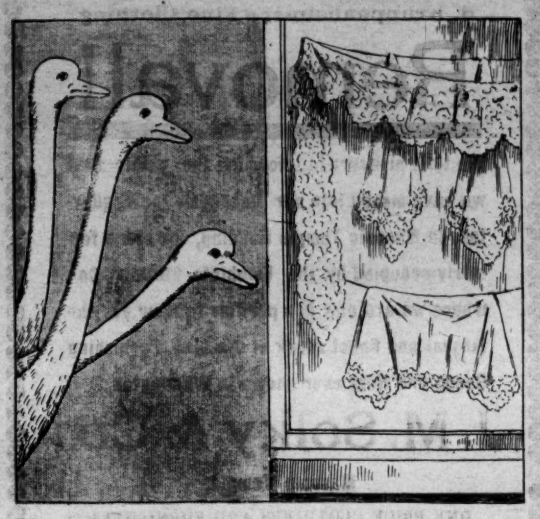

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WHEN A QUEEN WAS MADE

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Night in Venice. The day was done, but the merriment only waxed the louder with the coming of the stars. There was glitter of golden banners along the Grand canal and the silent hurrying of many gondolas, for Venice was en fete. The treaty with Cyprus had been formally ratified, and that day the republic had formally adopted the slim patrician maid, daughter of Venice, that she might become the mother of kings to be.

A great destiny for the shy child of scarce fourteen years. But as Caterina leaned from her casement, the golden hair falling down the wall in a nimbus light, her thoughts were not of King James de Lusignan nor that storied kingdom of Cyprus oversea, not of them, for maiden thoughts are white winged birds that go where they list, but of one slender youth whose eyes sought hers across the darkness, where he stood in the shadow of the closed portals of the Morosini palazzo across the canal, so near that he could note the gleam of the scarlet light on the golden head, so far that the sword of a nation's destiny flashed between them. A king's bride—what chance had he, Andrea Morosini, cavalier and poet, and a Morosini, the ancient enemy of her house?

There had been days when old Cornaro's daughter had watched concealed behind her casement draperies to see him go forth with the young knights. There had been soft starlit nights when he had watched that selfsame casement and poured forth his soul to the silken sweet tones of his lute. One night when her nurse nodded drowsily the small white hand had dropped a great languorous white rose into the prow of his gondola, and after that there had been a moment in the great cathedral when he had pressed close and held the little hand for a moment in his. That was all, and there could be no more for Cornaro's child, the daughter of Venice, but the lad had dreamed his dreams and gone merrily forth to battle with the Genoese. It had been a month, a long month, when he returned, and all the bells were ringing in honor of Caterina.

The twilight died, but the blaze of festal beacons flashed from tower to tower. Over there in the Cornaro palazzo there was a perfect carnival of music and laughter. Andrea's face grew whiter in the reflected glare. He could see as the breeze blew aside the curtains many figures passing to and fro in that upper room. They were robing for her sacrifice in that maiden chamber that had been his heart's shrine for two long years.

No longer a Venetian maiden, the ceremony that would presently take place before the high altar of St. Mark's would make her a crowned queen. Well, he would go to the wars again. There was always the Genoese to battle with. He might even win the holy sepulcher.

Was there no way? He would have given his soul for one word with her face to face. Andrea flung the lute far out, where it sank into the dark waters. He would never need it again. Overhead all the bells of Venice called to one another, and the lap, lap of the tide sobbed beneath as the under note of human pain that beats a minor tone to all the joy of life.

Caterina stood up straight and tall in the midst of her maidens. The jeweled robe fell close to the round, young limbs, heavy with its weight of pearls. Pearls and rubies were twined in the golden curls, and the fair, round arms were banded with glowing gems of the orient. Across the childish breast, above the folds of cloth of gold, a baldric of emeralds rose and fell with every frightened breath, and the wild rose color was gone from cheek and quivering lip.

Straight and tall in her young majesty, but over the blare of the trumpet, the flash of the jewels, deeper than the voice of Venice in loud acclaim, came the low note of a lute that was stilled forever. There was a strangeness in her throat, a blackness before her eyes. Awed at her silence, the flock of maidens fell a little away from where she stood, and then there came an old woman, bowed and weary, through the velvet portals.

When the attendants would have barred the way Caterina held out her hand. As the old woman bowed before her she opened the palms of her brown hands an instant, so quickly that none saw but Caterina, who drew a quick breath and turned to the waiting throng with a new authority. "Leave us. I would have speech with the dame alone."

Wondering, they left her, and as the door clanged to the old woman slipped the iron bar into place and then stood up, the gray wig thrown off, the woman trappings cast aside, Andrea Morosini.

One step toward Caterina, and he held out his arms. With a low, glad cry she nestled into them, and for one long moment of heaven his lips lay on hers, while below the Grand canal pulsated with he music and triumph of a queen's bridal.

The seconds ticked away. There was no past, no future. Then St. Mark's called to the outermost mole, and the sound of feet came along the stone corridor, pausing at the barred door. Caterina started and paled. Her father, the Cornaro! The steps died away. Then a noise behind them startled them. Not ten paces Guido Cornaro leaned on his great sword, and their frightened eyes were met with a look so stern that for a time they were speechless. He had entered through a door of which Caterina had no knowledge, built by some jealous Cornaro of long ago, who had caused this place of espial to be made that he might the better prove his fears. Indeed they might all have been carven stone. There was no motion in the room but the waving of the arras in the evening breeze that blew through the casement—the slender youth in his cavalier garb of dark velvet, the stern mailed old patrician and between them, like some tropic flower blown athwart strange gray glooms, Caterina in her bridal robes of cloth of gold, the coronal of rubies blazing above her brow.

Andrea bowed low, before the ancient foe of the house and, with one last lingering look at Caterina, awaited the Cornaro's pleasure. He had dared the strictest law of the republic. He knew the penalty.

Cornaro hesitated. There were wrath, love and mighty sorrow in his stormy eyes as they went from one young face to the other. A Morosini, the child of his deadliest foe! But he saw through the mist of long, lonely years a little rosy face pressed against a childish breast, a little head that lay within the curve of a round, white arm, so like, so like, and Guilia, who had died, spoke across the night of her unlived motherhood to the heart of her husband. The wrath died. He was powerless. He could not brook the might of the republic that claimed his child upon the altar of its ambition, but he could save her needless pain.

Already the surge of feet was coming up the long passage. The fanfare of trumpets and the voice of Venice, that was many voices, clamored for their princess. Below the gilded barge of the doge awaited her. Nevermore his child, but always the daughter of Venice.

There was an instant when the golden head lay against the steel corselet, another when Guido Cornaro saw his child give her lips to the Morosini, and then he flung wide the door to the secret passage and motioned to Andrea.

And so without a word he passed from her sight and her life, while her father led her down the rose garlanded stairway to the bitterness of the gilded mockery that awaited.

There was a battle next day, a mere skirmish between a Venetian war galley and one of Genoa. At its close they found him lying where the thick of the fight had passed, a smile on his lips, a crushed white rose above his heart. In Venice the people laughed and sang, and there was joy day and night for the week long bridal of Caterina Cornaro, the daughter of Venice, and King James de Lusignan.

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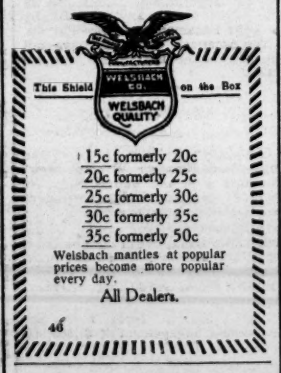

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In this department we have some beautiful as well as cheap goods. Our 12 4 Yorkshire blanket, weight 6½ lbs. to the pair, all wool, are worth $7; our price $5.50. Our wool blankets made at Elkton, N. C., 11-4, are worth $4.75, and 10-4 are worth $3.75 a pair. Our 10 and 11-4 mixed blankets run from $1.50 to $2.50 a pair. We have a blanket at 50c. a pair, 75c., $1 and $1.19.

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In our Millinery Department on the second floor we have just received a new line of Ladies' Cloaks, which run in price from $2.98 to $15 each, all of the latest styles and prettiest goods. We have on hand about 100 cloaks, job lot, for the ladies, misses and children, which we have decided to close out. These goods have got to go. Ladies cloaks are from $1 each up. Misses cloaks from $1 up. In our men's and children's cloak department we certainly have a strong line. In infants' cloaks we have them in white cashmere from 75c. up to $4.50 apiece. The short cloaks for children from 1 to 5 years old, we have them from 39c. and 50c. and up to $5.50 each. Children from 6 to 14 can find several styles from $1 to $7.50 each. We have also just received another big line of Furs, which you will find are the right price. The long and new style Collarettes with silk cord and fur tassels are running from $3.50 to $6 each. We have a good many different styles of Furs. We have a fine Collarette as low as 85 cents each, and our $1.50 and $2 Furs are beauties. We have them in gray, brown and black. We have the genuine Bear Fur Collarettes for $5 each, with muff to match, from $3.50 to $4 each.

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We have just received a nice line of Hats for Ladies and Men. We will sell this week the very best Ladies' Beaver Hats at $1 98 each, former price $2.75. We will sell Black Silk Hats made on a frame with velvet crown, all shapes, regular $1.25 goods, now 75 cents. We will also sell this week an Amazon Plume, 15 inches long, regular $3.50 Plumes, for $1.98 each; 14 inch Plumes for $1.50; the 12 inch Plume is $1.

China Department.

In this line of goods we have a large assortment. It represents 20 styles of Lamps from 20c each to $2.50 each. The very best centre draft Rochester, Nickel Lamp at $1.50 each. We also handle a large assortment of tinware and enamel ware, which we sell at all prices, from 10c apiece up. A full line of frying pans from 9 to 12 inches at 10c each. Others get get 15c for the same goods. A nice quality of gold band cups and saucers and plates; $1.25, will buy a complete set of 18 pieces.

We have quite an assortment of decorated blue China Plates. Cups and Saucers, Bowls and Nappies. This week we are also receiving 39 barrels of Glassware. We are selling Jelly Glasses at 2½c each; good Tumblers at 3c each; Water Bottles at 20c each; Water sets, one pitcher and six glasses at 39c a set; Fruit and Berry Dishes and Cake Stands from 10c to 50c each. Punch Bowls, looks like cut glass, holds 15 quarts and weighs 30 pounds; regular price $5.00; my price $2.98 each. We are after your trade, and if prices, goods and values have any influence, we hope to add you to the list of our many subscribers. If not, why not? We treat you cleverly and give you a present free. At

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TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:40 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	9 05 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	12 25 p m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 29 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	5 50 p m	7 50 a m

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Lv Hamlet	7 25 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 30 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

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Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 35 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 35 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 15 p m

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	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 31 p m	9 56 p m
Ar Wilson	1 15 p m	10 55 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 33 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 56 p m	1 25 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 28 a m	9 15 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 31 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 48 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 37 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 18 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

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SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 25 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	9 35 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 30 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 20 p m	1 40 p m

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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M		A. M	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	2 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 27
P. M	P. M.		A. M	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.28 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.06 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 13.

WILL OPPOSE CANAL TREATY WITH PANAMA.

Action Determined Upon by Democratic Senators—Claimed the Law Is on Side of Democratic Programme.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Democratic senators have determined to oppose the ratification of a canal treaty with the new republic of Panama should the administration enter upon treaty negotiations with that country. The Democratic Steering Committee is said to be unanimous in condemnation of the recognition the United States has given to the creation of a new government on the isthmus, though the announcement has been made that no course of opposition has been definitely adopted.

It has been learned upon the authority of a member of the Democratic Steering Committee that the sentiment of the committee is to attack any effort to open negotiations with the new republic, and go before the country in support of the Spooner act to show the party is not antagonistic to the building of a canal. It is claimed that the law is on the side of the Democratic programme, inasmuch as the Spooner act is a Republican measure. This act authorizes the President to proceed to the construction of a canal on the Nicaragua and Costa Rican route in the event negotiations with Colombia are not concluded within a reasonable time for the Panama route.

WRECK ON THE L. & N. R. R.

Two Heavy Freight Trains Collided--Three Engineers and Two Firemen Killed. Other Trainmen Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 12.—Two heavy freight trains, one of them a double-header, collided in a dense fog near New Hope, Ky., on the Knoxville division of the Louisville and Nashville early to-day. Engineers Graves, Connot and Sturgis and firemen Reynolds, Leyden and Leach were killed, head Brakeman R E. Hume was fatally injured and Brakeman Abner Winkler badly hurt.

The trains met on a reverse curve at the top of an embankment thirty feet high. The three engines were completely demolished and nearly every car of both trains landed at the foot of the hill. Fire soon broke out and fifteen cars of merchandise and coal were destroyed. Special relief trains were sent and the bodies of trainmen were recovered. Hume, who was the only one of the men found alive under the wreckage, had his jaw torn off and was otherwise badly hurt. The corps of rescuers had after much difficulty taken Hume from under a car of coke and were bearing him towards the special train when a carload of gunpowder reached by the flames, exploded with terrific force. Fortunately none of the rescuing party were injured. Brakeman Winkler jumped and was badly hurt.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Attention Divided Between U. S. Steel Preferred and Pennsylvania.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Attention in the stock market was divided to-day between Pennsylvania and United States Steel preferred to a large extent. The fact that United States Steel preferred sold up to 52¼ while Pennsylvania continued its downward course, divided sentiment to a considerable extent.

The balance was on the side of firmness in the market, however, so long as Pennsylvania showed resistance at 112, which it did during the early part of the day. Its yielding later to 111¾ unsettled sentiment and the general market was inclined to give way. The demoralization in the soft coal trade, the large bond issues by subsidiary companies, and the resulting rumors of a possible reduction in dividends were the depressing factors in Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania fell to 110¾ before the close and carried the whole market below last night's level, many stocks losing a point or more.

FIVE NEW CARDINALS.

Received Their Red Hats Yesterday at Pope Pius' Consistory.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ROME, Nov. 12.—Pope Pius X held his first public consistory to-day. Five cardinals, including the papal secretary of state, Merry Del Val, received their red hats.

The ceremonies began when the five cardinals who were to receive their red hats, Mgr. Merry Del Val, Mgr. Callegari, the archbishop of Padua; Mgr. Ajuti, the papal nuncio at Vienna, and Mgr. Katschthaler, the archbishop of Salzburg, Austria, went to the Sistine chapel to take the oath before Cardinals Oreglia, Rampolla and Macchi, heads of the three orders of the Sacred College. Mgr. Merry Del Val and Mgr. Callegari wore their red robes for the first time, and all the prelates formed a most striking picture, the effect being heightened by the incomparable singing by the Sistine choir, directed by the Abbe Berosi.

SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY.

M. F. Plant Elected Chairman of the Board of Directors.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 12.—Morton F. Plant was to-day elected chairman of the board of directors of the Southern Express Company. M. J. O'Brien of New York was re-elected president. No change was made in the board of directors. T. W. Leary of Atlanta was elected vice president and general manager.

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CUBAN RECIPROCITY IN THE HOUSE.

Bill Introduced by Representative Payne to Make the Treaty Effective.

THE TEXT OF THE MEASURE.

Senate Plunged Into Discussion of the Eligibility of Reed Smoot of Utah to a Seat in the Senate—Senator Hoar Taken to Task.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12. — Immediately upon assembling to-day the Senate plunged into a discussion of the eligibility of Reed Smoot, of Utah, to a seat in the Senate.

Mr. DuBois (Idaho) took issue with Mr. Hoar's remarks of yesterday. "I contend," he said, "that these various organizations of Christian men and women have a right to petition the Senate, and that it is their duty to do so. Of course, we all appreciate that this is a question which must be determined by the facts, but it is not an idle question, and it is properly before the Senate. It is the same question that was involved in the case of the polygamous Roberts, for whose unseating by the House of Representatives many petitions were filed.

"If the allegations now filed with the Committee on Privileges and Elections can be proven, I do not believe there is a senator here who would vote to have Mr. Smoot continue in his seat; but if they are not proven, I think we should all unite in asking him to remain."

Mr. Hoar said that in his remarks yesterday he had merely called the attention of some of his own constituents to the fact that they are pointing out to the Senate the determination of a judicial question in regard to which the senators are the judges.

Mr. Hale took the position that the question of Mr. Smoot's eligibility had been improperly raised at this time. He considered it a very grave and serious matter, and while, he said, he appreciated the force of what Mr. Hoar had said as to the judicial character of the proceeding, he did not quite agree with that senator that in determining the right of a senator to his seat the Senate should be considered purely as a court of law. He referred briefly to the moral aspects of the Smoot case, and said that grave as they are they are not more important than "The intrusion of a great religious heirarchy like the Mormon Church into the political affairs of the country." He suggested to the Senate the importance of not prejudicing the case.

The Senate adjourned until Monday.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Payne to-day introduced in the House a bill making effective the Cuban reciprocity treaty. The measure provides "That whenever the President of the United States shall receive satisfactory evidence that the republic of Cuba has made provision to give full effect to the articles of the convention between the United States and the republic of Cuba, he is hereby authorized to issue his proclamation declaring that he has received such evidence, and thereupon on the tenth day after exchange of ratifications of such convention between the United States and the republic of Cuba, and so long as the said convention shall remain in force, all articles of merchandise being the product of the soil or industry of the republic of Cuba, which are now imported into the United States free of duty, shall continue to be so admitted free of duty, and all other articles of merchandise being the product of the soil or industry of the republic of Cuba imported into the United States, shall be admitted at a reduction of twenty per cent. of the rates of duty thereupon, as provided by the tariff act of the United States, approved July twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven, or as may be provided by any tariff law of the United States subsequently enacted. The rates of duty herein granted by the United States to the republic of Cuba are and shall continue during the term of said convention preferential in respect to all like imports from other countries:

"Provided, that while said convention is in force, no sugar imported from the republic of Cuba and being the product of the soil or industry of the republic of Cuba, shall be admitted into the United States at a reduction of duty greater than twenty per cent. of duty thereon as provided by the tariff act of the United States, approved July 24, 1897, and no sugar, the product of another foreign country, shall be admitted by treaty or convention into the United States, while this convention is in force, at a lower rate of duty than that provided by the tariff act of the United States, approved July 24, 1897; and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be held or construed as an admission on the part of the House of Representatives that customs duties can be changed otherwise than by an act of Congress, originating in said House."

The second section provides among other things "that articles of the republic of Cuba shall receive, on their importation into the ports of the United States, treatment equal to that which similar articles of the United States shall receive on their importation into the ports of the republic of Cuba."

Mr. Payne having moved to adjourn, Mr. Williams, Mississippi, inquired if he was ready to announce the programme of the majority.

Mr. Payne said a meeting of the Ways and Means Committee would be called to-morrow, and he hoped to report the bill to the House to-morrow.

Mr. Thayer, Massachusetts, rising to a question of privilege, asked if a member would be considered derelict in his duty if he would go home to get in his Winter's wood with the understanding that he would return when the six or seven men who, he said, constitute conferees, would announce what the meeting had done.

The Speaker suggested that the question hardly amounted to a faint assault upon the dignity of a parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. Payne observed that he was about to request unanimous consent that the gentleman from Massachusetts be excused for the remainder of the session.

The House then adjourned.

The heroism of Lieut. Curtin and several seamen on board the torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence, of Norfolk, saved that craft from destruction and probably prevented the entire flotilla, together with a good deal of the navy yard, being blown to atoms. The fire was extinguished just before the flames reached the magazine, in which a great quantity of dynamite was stored.

The auxiliary cruiser Buffalo sailed from Newport News yesterday for Guantanamo and Bahia Honda, having on board the general naval inspection board officers. The protected cruiser Minneapolis came up from Old Point and will take on coal.

SOCIETY TO CONSIDER THE RACE PROBLEM.

Closed Its Sessions—Mixed Commission Appointed to Carry Plans Into Effect and Lay Matter Before Congress.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The National Sociological Society to consider the race problem, which has been in session here since last Monday and which has been attended by students of the problem from different parts of the country, closed its sessions to-day by the adoption of a series of resolutions on the subject. One of the most important results of the meetings was the creation of a mixed special commission of six members, three from each race, to carry the plans and conclusions into effect; to lay the matter before Congress; to gather material and to aid as a permanent body in the solution of the race problem. The three white members of the commission selected are Rev. Dr. Dean Richmond Babbit, of Brooklyn; Rev. Dr. Mayo, of Boston, and Geo. C. Gorham, of Washington. The colored members of the commission are Jesse Lawson, president of the Sociological Society, Professor Kelly Miller and Daniel Murray, of Washington. This commission is to co-operate with any commission which may be appointed by the Federal government, and to assist in keeping facts, plans, arguments and efforts for the solution of the race problem before the general public and before the government. The resolutions adopted declare that it is the duty of the government to afford adequate and equal protection to each and every citizen in the full enjoyment of every right guaranteed by the constitution and by the laws of the land and that the perpetuity of the republic is dependent upon fidelity to this principle. That, under our form of government, there can be no recognition of a master class and a subject class, nor can the government countenance the idea of a master race and a subject race, but must regard and treat all as equals in the eyes of the law.

Other resolutions say:

"We deprecate mob violence which we believe destroys the respect for orderly government, and we deplore the crimes that are alleged in excuse for such violence. We believe that crime of any character is most effectually prevented or punished by the sure and orderly process of the law.

"As a solution of the race problem, we regard colonization, expatriation and segragation as unworthy of further consideration. We recognize that in the limits of the ex-slave States, through State authorities and through many Southern friends, the common school system has been established for the colored people and that with the aid of these friends and Northern help more than forty colleges there have been founded for the education of the negro.

"We further recognize that these friends appreciate the vast importance of the negro population to the intelligence and industrial prosperity of the South.

"We have faith, too, in the increasing intelligence, industry and thrift of the negro, inasmuch as during the past forty years of freedom the negroes have, in spite of adverse circumstances of an unusual character, made rapid progress.

"We congratulate the group of young educators of both races and sexes in the Southern States on the revival in educational affairs under their auspices, especially in the vast open country where the overwhelming majority of the children and youth now and for many years to come must live.

"We urge the thorough recognition of the people's common schools in the open country of the South as the only condition for the fit development of that secondary high and industrial education, which should be open to all sorts and conditions of the coming generation."

DEMOCRATIC ATTITUDE ON THE CUBAN BILL.

Several Amendments Proposed by the Minority Members of Ways and Means Committee of the House.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The Democratic attitude on the Cuban bill, as well as its general policy on public questions, is to be the subject of a caucus of the minority members of the House to be held Saturday night.

The meeting of the minority members of the Ways and Means Committee was held to-night for the purpose of outlining several amendments to the Cuban bill. These amendments will include one removing the differential on refined sugar and the elimination from the treaty of that portion of Article VIII which binds the United States government not to reduce the duties on sugar for a period of five years. In the event of the failure of these amendments, the indications are that the minority members of the House will support the Cuban bill.

In explaining the reasons for the amendments proposed, Mr. Williams, the Democratic floor leader, said that the Democratic party, in his opinion, could not afford to allow without protest the enactment of legislation which was an attempt, although an ineffectual one, to bind future congresses and future administrations by a pledge against further reduction of duties upon any article with any country. The right to abrogate the treaty, he said, ought to be reserved in this instance, as it is reserved in all treaties, upon due notice being given.

"It might be argued," said Mr. Williams, "when the question came up for consideration that we were morally bound, although not legally bound. As a matter of fact we could not be morally bound if the Democrats came into power, unless the Democracy by active consent had made itself bound."

Mr. Williams said that assurances had been received from the majority side of the House of enough votes to add the amendment doing away with the refiners' differential.

CRUMPACKER'S BILL.

Providing for Reduction of Congressional Representation in Southern States

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 12.—Representative Crumpacker, of Indiana, was an early caller on the President to-day. He has reintroduced his bill providing for a reduction in the Congressional representation of those State which have discriminated politically against the negro. He has not decided whether he will press the measure for consideration this Winter or not; he introduced it merely that he might have it on the calendar and be prepared to urge it if he deemed it desirable to do so. It is understood to be quite likely, however, that action will be taken on the bill, at least, prior to the Presidential campaign.

STREET CAR MEN IN CHICAGO STRIKE

Desperate Onslaughts Made on Cars Throughout the Day by Strike Sympathizers.

MADE A COMPLETE TIE-UP.

A Number of Cars Wrecked and People Injured—One Man Had Back Broken Possibilities for Federal Intervention Discussed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Constant scenes of disorder in a district approximately fifty square miles in extent, resulted to-day from the inauguration of a strike by the employes of one of the two principal surface street railway companies in Chicago. All along the lines, wherever cars were started, strike sympathizers made desperate onslaughts on the crews, beginning at dawn of day and continuing as long as cars remained on the tracks. The tie-up was made complete.

A number of cars were wrecked, and that no person was killed is no fault of the rioters. One man had his back broken and the first shot of the strike was fired at Wentworth avenue and West 69th street, where a mob of several hundred persons tried to hold up a train.

Excepting a few dozen passengers who had to flee from the cars, the three hundred thousand daily patrons of the company were forced to all sorts of other methods in order to get down town and back.

With faces and hands bleeding from the attacks of the strikers, motormen, gripmen and conductors who tried to run trains, returned to the barn and refused to go out again unless the trains bore platoons of police or patrol wagons were along side.

The police confined their efforts to seeing that the passage of cars from the barns was unobstructed and that crowds in the street were quickly scattered. This was done under orders of Mayor Carter H. Harrison, whose announced purpose was to preserve an impartial attitude, taking sides neither for nor against the strikers of the street railway company, which though known as the Chicago City Railway, is a private corporation, the lines of which extend through the south side of the city, radiating from the business centre. Developments regarding the attitude of the municipal administration hinge largely upon a new official, Herman F. Schuettler, who to-day under appointment from the mayor, assumed the duties of assistant chief of police. Schuettler will be in direct charge of police arrangements during the contest. Schuettler is the man who tracked and arrested anarchist Louis Lingg, after the Haymarket riot, and who subsequently sent Adolph Luetgert, the wealthy sausage man, to die in the penitentiary under conviction for wife murder. Schuettler has a remarkable record for personal daring and astuteness.

Possibilities for Federal intervention under certain contingencies are being discussed. The situation in this respect was outlined to day by Postmaster Coyne. He said: "Thus far there is no cause for alarm as to the mail service. It is true trains have been delayed, but that is not serious enough to report to Washington. The street car company owns the mail cars and by contract is obliged to run them in separate trains and deliver mail at specified points. There is no ground for objection against the company's sending out mail trains between passenger trains. What else can the company do? If serious delay occurs we will report the fact to Washington and act on instructions from the postal department."

Before nightfall President D. G. Hamilton and General Counsel Bliss, of the railway company, after endeavoring to operate cars in defiance of the strike of its trainmen, announced after a conference with Mayor Harrison that the attempt would be abandoned for the day. The railway officials declare that thirty per cent. of their employes are loyal and that if accorded sufficient protection by the police department they will be able to man and to operate their cars. A further effort to run cars, each car accompanied by a squad of police in a patrol wagon, will it is expected be made tomorrow.

The strike is the outgrowth of persistent efforts for increased wages and exclusion of non-union employes. To-day about 3,000 men, practically the entire force of the company's wage earners, were idle, the number of men at any time running cars being but a small fraction of the number usually at work. The company's stationary firemen, who have also presented demands upon the company for increased wages and to whom the trainmen looked for assistance, have declined to go out.

Derogatory remarks regarding the union by an armed non-union employe of the company caused a riot at 36th and State streets to-night. The man was chased into the engine house near by and before the police could reach the spot a mob of 2,000 persons surrounded the place, howling for the life of the refugee. A squad of policemen after great difficulty quelled the disturbance and removed the man to a place of safety.

THE TOBACCO TRUST.

U. S. Court Decision in a Suit for Damages Against the Trust.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Nov. 12.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals to-day handed down an opinion in the suit for treble damages brought by Joseph P. Whitwell, a local tobacco dealer, against the Continental Tobacco Company, known as the "Tobacco Trust," in which judgment is rendered in favor of the Continental Company. The opinion affirms the judgment of the United States District Court, which held that the refusal of the Tobacco Trust to sell its manufactured product to Whitwell did not constitute a legal injury; was not an act in restraint of interstate commerce and does not violate the national anti-trust law.

Whitwell alleges that the Continental Tobacco Company charged prohibitive prices for certain grades unobtainable elsewhere and attached as a condition to the sale of such goods that its customers should not buy of competing companies of the Continental Company.

"FATHER OF DURHAM."

Death of Colonel W. T. Blackwell, the Tobacco Manufacturer.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 12.—A special from Durham, N. C., says:

"At 11:45 to night Colonel W. T. Blackwell, the tobacco manfacturer and former postmaster here under President Cleveland, died at his home in Durham. He was affectionately known as the 'Father of Durham.'"

THE COLOMBIANS ARE GREATLY EXCITED.

At the News of Events in Panama—Fears for the Safety of Americans—Many Extravagant Threats.

By Cable to the Morning Star

COLON, Nov. 12.—The Royal Mail steamer Orinoco arrived here to-day, bringing news of General Torres and the Colombian troops he took from here after the proclamation of the republic of Panama.

On the arrival of General Torres and his troops at Cartagena the news of events on the isthmus quickly spread and caused excitement. General Torres and his officers were threatened with arrest as traitors, but the threat was not put into effect. The populace, greatly excited, soon crowded the streets, crying "Down with the Americans!"

United States Consul Ingersoll, fearing violence, remained shut up in the consulate.

The excitement at Barranquilla increased with the spreading of the news of the secession of the isthmus, which was supplemented by exaggerated accounts of the alleged part played by the United States therein. Their declaration of independence was read from a newspaper by the prefect to a crowd assembled in the plaza and was greeted by furious cries and shouts of "Death to the Panamanians," and "Death to the Americans."

The prefect followed the reading by a speech, in which he declared that the Colombian government would never perfect the cession of the isthmus and would win back the lost territory at any cost. The crowd in the plaza indulged in many extravagant threats.

United States Vice Consul Lovelace was sitting on a balcony of his house at Barranquilla to-night when several stones were thrown at him. He retired in doors and was not further molested by the Colombians.

Revolutionary talk began immediately at Barranquilla and threats were made against congressmen responsible for the non-ratification of the Hay-Herran canal treaty.

Fears are entertained for the safety of the Americans in Colombia and of the possibility of the anger of the populace being vented against foreigners generally.

The authorities at Savanilla have mounted two obselete guns covering the wharf.

SITUATION ON THE ISTHMUS OF PANAMA.

Complete Success of the Secession Movement—U. S. Warships Examining All Vessels Arriving at Colon.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

COLON, COLOMBIA, Nov. 12.—What most impresses all observers of the present situation on the isthmus of Panama is the complete success of the secession movement and the orderly continuance of affairs since the change of government. All governmental functions have so far been carried on with complete success and the unanimous feeling throughout the district of Panama in favor of the new government is beyond what its promoters anticipated.

Porfirio Melendez, the new civil and military governor of Colon, interviewed to-day by the Associated Press correspondent expressed his full realization of what Panama owed to the United States, calling that country "The new republic's powerful and generous god-mother."

Regarding the mission of General Reyes, Governor Melendez said: "A telegram has been received by the government of Panama that General Reyes is coming to the isthmus in the hope of saving Colombia's honor, and is ready on behalf of Colombian government to promise Panama all concessions and considerations. The Panama government however has answered that unless General Reyes comes ready to recognize the new republic and is accredited to it as the Colombian envoy, he will not be received."

Governor Melendez further said that he would arrest General Reyes on his arrival here unless he immediately accepted Panama's stipulations.

It is apparent that United States war ships will not permit any movement by sea of armed forces. Governor Melendez tried to send twenty-five armed men to Porto Bello, but they were stopped by the U. S. gunboat Nashville and compelled to return. A schooner loaded with Panamanian troops was sent yesterday to Bocas Del Toro, but they went unarmed.

The American warships are examining all vessels arriving at Colon from Colombian ports and scrutinizing the passengers with the object of discouraging the landing of objectionable persons.

The United States naval authorities on the Colon side of the isthmus have not yet received any official communication saying that the United States has recognized the provisional Panamanian government. Consequently they cannot treat in any way officially with the Panamanian representatives.

The American war ships have not yet saluted the flag of the new republic.

WARM WIRELETS

Yesterday's bulletin regarding the condition of Emperor William says: The healing of the wound takes the regular course and the Emperor's general condition remains good.

F. B. Neal, assistant cashier of the Merchants' Bank, one of the wealthiest citizens of Jackson, Miss., and State Senator from Hinds and Warren counties, committed suicide yesterday. He had been ill for some time.

Lazard Freres, New York, announces an engagement of $1,500,000 gold from London. It is probable the gold is on the way. The National City Bank announces another engagement of $500,000 gold in London.

The Lighthouse Board has awarded to the New York Shipbuilding Company, of Camden, N. J., contracts for the construction of five new lightships, to cost $82,000 each. One of the ships will be used on Cape Lookout Shoals, North Carolina, and another on Heald Bank, off Galveston.

Five thousand people attended a mass meeting at Norfolk last night to raise funds for the Jamestown Exposition which will be held on the shores of Hampton Roads in 1907 to commemorate the three hundredth anniversary of the first permanent Anglo-Saxon settlement on this hemisphere.

Fleet Wilkins, a merchant at Pick's Siding, two miles from Roxboro, N. C., died from the effects of an assault committed upon him by a negro named Adam Hunt. The negro had demanded money, which being refused he literally beat Wilkins to death. The negro was arrested and lodged in jail.

The gunboat Castine has been placed in commission at League Island and Commander Knight took charge of the vessel. A crew of 250 sailors and marines will be drafted, and the Castine within a week will go to Newport News to coal. No orders have been received as to her destination after leaving Newport.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Interesting Reports—Battle Abbey Fund. Historical Committee — Candidates for Presidency of the Order.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 12.—The features of the second day's session of the tenth annual meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy were the interesting report of the President, Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, showing the progress of the work in the various States, the address of the Rev. J. William Jones, D. D., regarding the Battle Abbey fund, the reports of the officers and of the historical committee. Chaplain Jones said that the fund raised for the Battle Abbey was in the neighborhood of $200,000, but that more was needed. He spoke with intense fervor regarding the principles which the Confederacy sought to establish and the men who died in their defence and was enthusiastically applauded.

The report of the historical committee, among other things, declared that while the schools of the South, until a few years ago, were using biased histories, covering the period of the war between the States, the States of Alabama, Louisiana, Texas, Virginia, South Carolina and Florida were now using unbiased text books; the States of Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri and Arkansas were divided in this respect, and other States were being worked upon with the greatest hopes of ultimate success. The constant aim and object of the committee is for the "truth of history," and reports from various points show that the study of Southern history is being encouraged in Southern schools.

Upon motion of Mrs. Richardson, of Columbia, S. C., it was made imperative that all Daughters of the Confederacy when in assembly for business or pleasure should rise to their feet when the national air of the Confederacy, "Dixie," was sung or played and remain standing until the song or tune was finished.

Mr. J. H. Parker, president of the New York City Chapter, U. D. C., reported large membership and flourishing conditions and that a children's chapter has been organized with thirty-two members.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the election to-morrow and already the delegates are grooming candidates for the presidency. Among the candidates mentioned for president were Mrs. Augustine T. Smythe, of this city, and Mrs. Henderson, of Mississippi. Mrs. Smythe has strong backing and the delegations from a number of States have given her their full support. Several caucuses have been held by the State delegations, pledging their support to the candidate for President of their choice.

This afternoon a reception was tendered the U. C. D. by the Federation of Woman's Clubs and to-night the visitors attended a reception by the local chapter of the U. D. C.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

Revealed What Is Thought to be a Gang of Safe-Crackers.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—An explosion of dynamite late last night wrecked the house at No. 735 Wood street and seriously burned James Patton, aged 31 years, of St. Mary's, Elk county, Pa.

The police believe the house was the headquarters of a gang of safe crackers and have arrested six persons who were in the room in which the explosion occurred. In the wrecked house detectives found six dynamite fuses, two skeleton keys, two revolvers and a quantity of gun cotton.

The police found in Patton's possession four pocket maps of this and adjacent States, together with a list of postoffices in this vicinity, some of which have been recently robbed.

A Constantinople dispatch says the latest Austro Russian note to the Porte contained a specific declaration that a further refusal to accept the reform scheme will expose the Ottoman Empire to great danger and that the proposals of the two powers must be accepted entirely and without delay.

General Passenger Agent Anderson, of the Southern Pacific, announces that Jno. P. Patrick, general industrial agent of the Seaboard Air Line, is to become the chief of the Southern Pacific's industrial bureau.

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